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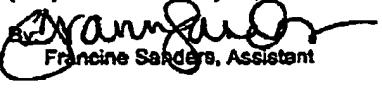
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Implantable Substance Delivery )  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 28 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

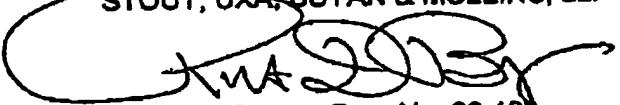
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